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Enclosed are:

1.  14 text pages of specification, including 22 claims, and an Abstract.
2.  Drawings - 1 sheet, including Figures 1-6.
3.  A Recordation Form for Assignment;
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6.  The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the application at 1 above.

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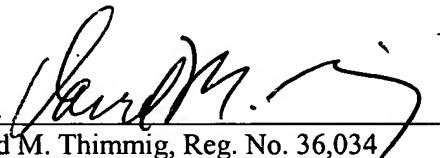
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